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FEDERAL MILK ORDER

MARKET STATISTICS

DECEMBER HIGHLIGHTS

PRODUCER DELIVERIES UP 2.1 PERCENT

PRODUCER MILK USED IN CLASS I UP 3.2 PERCENT

69 PERCENT OF DELIVERIES USED IN CLASS I

MINIMUM CLASS I PRICE \$6.45; BLEND, \$5.83

IN-AREA FLUID MILK SALES UP 0.6 PERCENT

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* in Federal Order Markets *

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FEDERAL MILK ORDER MARKET STATISTICS

Highlights

DECEMBER 1968

Producer Deliveries. A total of 101,201 producers delivered 3.4 billion pounds of milk to regulated handlers in 60 comparable markets during December 1968. This is 2.1 percent above producer deliveries in December 1967. Average daily delivery per producer increased from 1,017 pounds in December 1967 to 1,087 pounds in December of this year. Producer numbers, producer deliveries, average butterfat percentages, and average daily deliveries per producer for individual markets are shown on table 4.

Producer Deliveries Used in Class I. The volume of producer deliveries used in Class I in 60 markets increased 3.2 percent from last year, to a total of 2.4 billion pounds for the month of December 1968.

Gross Class I sales, which comprise total Class I sales by regulated handlers, in-and-out of defined marketing areas, increased 3.2 percent in the 60 markets for the month of December.

Percentage of Producer Deliveries Used in Class I. The average utilization percentage for December 1968 was 69 percent, up from 68 percent for December 1967. Twenty-seven markets showed an increase in the utilization percentage, four showed no change, and the remaining 29 markets showed a decrease (See table 5).

Minimum Prices. The weighted average Class I price paid by handlers in the 60 markets for 3.5 percent milk was \$6.45 per hundredweight, 46 cents higher than the \$5.99 per hundredweight price in December 1967. Minimum Class I prices for December this year were higher in all 60 markets.

Producers in the 60 markets received a weighted average blend price of \$5.83 per hundredweight for 3.5 percent milk, 40 cents higher than the \$5.43 price received by producers in December 1967. Producers received a higher blend price in 57 markets and a lower price in the remaining three markets. Class prices, blend prices, and associated butterfat differentials, by markets are reported on table 2.

Fluid Milk Sales. Total in-area fluid milk sales for December 1968 in 62 marketing areas are estimated to be about 2.4 billion pounds, 0.6 percent above such sales in December of last year. Complete November in-area sales for total fluid items, and for the four major fluid product groupings (whole milk, skim milk items, mixtures, and cream), are reported on table 7.

Filled and Imitation Milk Sales. Survey data of filled and imitation milk sales in Federal order markets, October, November, and December 1968 are presented on table 12.

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Minimum Prices. The weighted average Class I price in 1968 for the 60 markets was \$6.25, 32 cents higher than the \$5.93 price in 1967. The 1968 weighted average blend price was \$5.55, 30 cents higher than the blend price of \$5.25 reported for these markets in 1967 (See table 3).

Producer Deliveries and Deliveries Used in Class I. Producer deliveries and deliveries used in Class I are reported for individual markets on table 6. For the year 1968, compared to 1967, producer deliveries for the 60 markets were up 0.1 percent, and deliveries used in Class I were up 2.0 percent.^{1/} Data for the 60 markets and for all markets are summarized below:

Producer Milk Deliveries and Deliveries Used in Class I, January-December

Markets	Producer Deliveries			Deliveries used in Class I		
	1968	Change from 1967 2/		1968	Change from 1967 2/	
	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	Percent	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	Percent
60 Comparable markets 3/	41,394,953	+60,467	+ 0.1	27,375,331	+527,184	+ 2.0
7 Non-comparable markets 4/	15,046,138	+2,469,798		9,109,106	+1,445,690	
67 All markets	56,441,091	+2,530,265	+ 4.7	36,484,437	+1,972,874	+ 5.7

^{1/} February 1968 data adjusted to 28 days before computing percentage change.

^{2/} February 1968 data adjusted to 28 days before computing changes in both pounds and percentages.

^{3/} Markets under continuous regulation since January 1, 1967, which have had no significant marketing area expansions.

^{4/} Massachusetts-R.I.-N.H., Eastern Ohio-Western Pa., Chicago Regional, Nebraska-Western Iowa, Minnesota-North Dakota, North Texas, and South Texas.

Table 1.--Federal order minimum Class I prices for milk of 3.5 percent butterfat content, f.o.b. market or other indicated point, and butterfat differentials, January 1/ 1969 and 1968

Marketing area 2/	Class I Price : Fat : Per 100 lb. : Differential : 0.1%				Marketing area 2/	Class I Price : Fat : Per 100 lb. : Differential : 0.1%			
	January					January			
	1969	1968	1969	1968		1969	1968	1969	1968
	Dollars		Cents			Dollars		Cents	
NEW ENGLAND					WEST NORTH CENTRAL -Con.				
Massachusetts-R.I.-N.H.3/	7.31	6.79	8.2	8.1	Southern Group				
Connecticut	7.31	6.79	8.2	8.1	St. Louis-Ozarks	5.93	5.35	8.2	8.1
					Kansas City	6.07	5.55	8.2	8.1
MIDDLE ATLANTIC					Neosho Valley	5.98	5.59	8.6	8.5
New York-New Jersey 4/	6.97	6.35	8.2	4.0	Wichita	6.13	5.85	8.2	8.1
Delaware Valley	7.17	6.65	8.2	8.1					
					EAST NORTH CENTRAL				
SOUTH ATLANTIC					Paducah	6.18	5.66	8.2	8.1
Upper Chesapeake Bay	7.07	6.55	8.2	8.5	Nashville	5.91	5.59	8.2	8.1
Washington, D. C.	7.07	6.55	8.2	8.5	Memphis	6.27	6.22	8.2	8.1
Clarksburg	6.47	6.13	8.9	8.8	Knoxville	6.03	5.55	8.2	8.1
Tri-State	6.02	5.85	8.2	8.7	Chattanooga	6.72	6.20	8.2	8.8
Appalachian	6.46	6.18	8.2	8.1	Mississippi	6.80	6.52	8.2	8.1
Tampa Bay	7.23	7.04	7.5	7.5					
Southeastern Florida	7.43	7.24	7.5	7.5	WEST SOUTH CENTRAL				
Upper Florida	7.13	6.84	7.5	7.5	Northern Group				
					Central Arkansas	6.27	6.22	8.2	8.1
EAST NORTH CENTRAL					Fort Smith	6.28	6.23	8.6	8.5
Eastern Group					Oklahoma Metropolitan	6.31	6.03	8.6	8.5
Upstate Michigan	5.82	5.54		7.5	Red River Valley	6.53	6.25	8.6	8.5
Southern Michigan	5.93	5.20		7.5	Texas Panhandle	6.58	6.30	8.2	8.1
Northwestern Ohio	6.03	5.68	8.2	8.6	Lubbock-Plainview	6.75	6.47	8.6	8.5
Eastern Ohio-Western Pa.	6.30	5.87	8.2	8.8					
Columbus	6.16	5.78	8.2	9.9	Southern Group				
Miami Valley	6.16	5.85	8.2	8.1	Northern Louisiana	6.80	6.52	8.2	8.1
Cincinnati	6.22	5.95	8.2	8.6	New Orleans	7.18	6.90	8.2	8.1
					North Texas	6.65	6.37	8.6	8.5
Western Group					Central West Texas	6.90	6.62	8.6	8.5
Mich. Upper Peninsula	5.68	5.16	8.6	8.5	Austin-Waco	7.03	6.75	8.2	8.1
Chicago Regional	5.53	4.88	8.2	8.1	San Antonio	7.07	6.79	8.6	8.5
Louisville-Lex.-Evans.	6.00	5.69	8.2	8.5	Corpus Christi	7.40	7.12	8.2	8.1
Indiana	5.80	5.42	8.2	8.1	South Texas	7.01	---	8.6	---
Southern Illinois	5.86	5.34	8.2	8.1					
Central Illinois	5.72	5.20	8.2	8.1	MOUNTAIN				
					Eastern Colorado	6.57	6.35	8.9	8.8
WEST NORTH CENTRAL					Great Basin	6.58	6.22	9.3	9.1
Northern Group					Western Colorado	6.52	6.30	8.9	9.1
Duluth-Superior	5.43	5.15	8.9	8.8	Central Arizona	6.83	6.43	9.3	9.1
Minneapolis-St. Paul	5.39	4.87	8.3	8.3	Rio Grande Valley	6.68	6.37	8.6	8.5
Eastern South Dakota	5.83	5.42	8.2	8.1					
Black Hills	6.68	6.40	11.8	11.6	PACIFIC				
North Central Iowa	5.58	5.06	8.2	8.1	Puget Sound	6.18	5.90	8.6	8.5
Cedar Rapids-Iowa City	5.63	5.11	8.2	8.1	Inland Empire	6.15	6.00	8.4	8.3
Quad Cities-Dubuque	5.63	5.11	8.6	8.5					
Des Moines	5.78	5.26	8.2	8.1					
Nebraska-Western Iowa	5.93	5.65	8.6	8.6					
Minnesota-North Dakota	5.39	5.11	8.2	8.1					

1/ See footnotes on table 2 for location at which price is reported, except Massachusetts-R.I.-N.H. and New York-New Jersey.

2/ Major city in the marketing area.

3/ Boston nearby plant price. 201-210 mile zone: January 1969, \$6.91 and January 1968, \$6.39.

4/ New York metropolitan area price. 201-210 mile zone: January 1969, \$6.73 and January 1968, \$6.11.

TABLE 2.--FEDERAL ORDER MINIMUM CLASS AND BLEND PRICES FOR MILK OF 3.5 PERCENT BUTTERFAT CONTENT, F.O.B. MARKET OR OTHER INDICATED POINT, AND BUTTERFAT DIFFERENTIALS, DECEMBER **

MARKETING AREA	PRICES PER 100 POUNDS						FAT DIFFERENTIAL D.1%			
	CLASS I		BLEND		CLASS II	CLASS III	CLASS I	CLASS II	CLASS III	BLEND
	DEC 1968	DEC 1967	DEC 1968	DEC 1967	DECEMBER 1968		DECEMBER 1968			
	DOLLARS						CENTS			
NEW ENGLAND										
MASSACHUSETTS-R.I.-N.H. 1/	6.91	6.39	5.86	5.48	4.33	---	8.2	8.2	---	8.2
CONNECTICUT	7.31	6.79	6.68	6.25	4.39	---	8.2	8.2	---	8.2
AVERAGE 2/	7.31	6.79	6.68	6.25	---	---	8.2	---	---	8.2
MIDDLE ATLANTIC										
NEW YORK-NEW JERSEY 3/	6.73	6.11	5.77	5.25	4.33	---	8.2	8.2	---	8.2
DELAWARE VALLEY 4/	7.17	6.65	6.34	6.11	4.41	---	8.2	8.2	---	8.0
AVERAGE 2/	6.83	6.24	5.88	5.41	---	---	8.2	---	---	8.2
SOUTH ATLANTIC										
UPPER CHESAPEAKE 8AY 5/	7.07	6.55	6.22	5.89	4.35	---	8.5	8.2	---	8.0
WASHINGTON, D.C.	7.07	6.55	6.28	6.03	4.35	---	8.5	8.2	---	8.0
CLARKSBURG	6.45	6.11	6.02	5.64	4.27	---	8.7	7.9	---	8.5
TRI-STATE 6/	5.99	5.85	6.01	5.78	4.45	4.30	8.0	7.9	7.9	8.2
APPALACHIAN 7/	6.46	6.18	6.12	5.77	4.03	---	8.0	7.6	---	7.9
TAMPA 8AY	7.23	6.94	6.94	6.43	5.30	4.45	7.5	7.5	7.9	7.6
SOUTHEASTERN FLORIDA 8/	7.43	7.14	7.18	6.80	5.30	4.45	7.5	7.5	7.9	7.6
UPPER FLORIDA 9/	7.13	6.80	6.89	6.46	5.30	4.45	7.5	7.5	7.9	7.6
AVERAGE 2/	6.97	6.60	6.47	6.14	---	---	8.0	---	---	7.9
EAST NORTH CENTRAL										
EASTERN GROUP										
UPSTATE MICHIGAN 10/	5.82	5.54	5.49	5.29	4.42	4.17	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5
SOUTHERN MICHIGAN 11/	5.93	5.20	5.40	4.81	4.42	4.27	7.8	7.8	7.8	8.0
NORTHWESTERN OHIO 12/	6.03	5.62	5.56	5.17	4.27	---	8.0	7.9	---	8.0
EASTERN OHIO-WESTERN PA. 13/14/	6.20	15/5.81	5.72	15/5.29	4.27	---	8.0	7.9	---	8.0
COLUMBUS	6.06	5.78	6.05	5.56	4.27	---	8.0	7.9	---	8.0
MIAMI VALLEY 16/	6.16	5.85	6.06	5.61	4.27	---	8.0	7.9	---	8.0
CINCINNATI	6.22	5.95	6.10	5.79	4.27	---	8.0	7.9	---	8.0
AVERAGE 2/	6.01	5.46	5.61	5.09	---	---	7.9	---	---	8.0
WESTERN GROUP										
MICHIGAN UPPER PENINSULA 17/	5.68	5.16	18/5.29	18/4.79	4.30	---	8.3	7.9	---	8.2
CHICAGO REGIONAL 19/20/	5.53	15/4.91	5.06	15/4.55	4.30	---	8.0	8.2	---	8.1
FORT WAYNE	5.75	5.49	5.23	5.01	4.27	---	8.0	7.9	---	8.0
LSVILLE-LXGTON-EVNSVILLE	5.96	5.65	6.02	5.80	4.30	---	8.0	8.2	---	8.1
INDIANAPOLIS	5.82	5.56	5.76	5.67	4.27	---	8.0	7.8	---	7.9
SOUTHERN ILLINOIS 21/	5.86	5.34	5.72	5.24	4.30	---	8.0	7.9	---	8.0
CENTRAL ILLINOIS 22/	5.72	5.20	5.45	5.04	4.30	---	8.0	7.9	---	8.0
AVERAGE 2/	5.85	5.49	5.74	5.47	---	---	8.0	---	---	8.0
WEST NORTH CENTRAL										
NORTHERN GROUP										
DULUTH - SUPERIOR	5.43	5.15	4.77	4.43	4.02	---	8.7	8.2	---	8.4
MINNEAPOLIS - ST. PAUL	5.39	4.87	4.92	4.52	4.30	---	8.2	8.0	---	8.1
EASTERN SOUTH DAKOTA 23/	5.83	5.42	5.38	5.01	4.30	---	8.0	7.6	---	7.8
BLACK HILLS 24/	6.68	6.40	4.74	5.22	4.03	---	11.5	7.5	---	8.0
NORTH CENTRAL IDWA 25/	5.58	5.06	26/5.33	26/4.85	4.30	---	8.0	7.9	---	8.0
CEDAR RAPIDS - IDWA CITY	5.63	5.11	5.07	4.72	4.30	---	8.0	7.6	---	7.8
QUAD CITIES - DUBUQUE 27/	5.63	5.11	5.14	4.77	4.30	---	8.3	7.9	---	8.1
DES MOINES	5.78	5.26	5.35	4.96	4.30	---	8.0	7.6	---	7.8
NEBRASKA - WESTERN IDWA 20/	5.93	5.65	5.46	5.16	4.45	4.30	8.3	7.9	7.9	8.1
MINNESOTA - NORTH DAKOTA 28/	5.39	5.11	4.73	4.50	4.30	---	8.0	7.9	---	7.9
AVERAGE 2/	5.56	5.07	5.06	4.68	---	---	8.2	---	---	8.0

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TABLE 2.--FEDERAL ORDER MINIMUM CLASS AND BLEND PRICES FOR MILK OF 3.5 PERCENT BUTTERFAT CONTENT, F.O.B. MARKET OR OTHER INDICATED POINT*, AND BUTTERFAT DIFFERENTIALS, DECEMBER ** -CON.

MARKETING AREA	PRICES PER 100 POUNDS						FAT DIFFERENTIAL 0.1%			
	CLASS I		BLEND		CLASS II	CLASS III	CLASS I	CLASS II	CLASS III	BLEND
	DEC 1968	DEC 1967	DEC 1968	DEC 1967	DECEMBER 1968	DECEMBER 1968	DECEMBER 1968			
	DOLLARS						CENTS			
WEST NORTH CENTRAL -CON.										
SOUTHERN GROUP										
ST LOUIS - OZARKS 29/	5.93	5.35	5.73	5.13	4.30	---	8.0	7.9	---	8.0
KANSAS CITY 30/	6.07	5.55	5.46	5.06	4.42	4.27	8.0	7.9	7.9	7.3
NEOSHO VALLEY 31/	5.98	5.59	5.23	4.96	4.21	---	8.3	7.9	---	8.2
WICHITA 20/	6.13	5.85	5.62	5.49	4.42	4.27	8.0	7.9	7.9	8.0
AVERAGE 2/	6.01	5.50	5.59	5.14	---	---	8.0	---	---	7.7
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL										
PADUCAH	6.18	5.66	6.53	5.98	4.30	---	8.0	7.9	---	7.5
NASHVILLE	5.91	5.55	5.60	5.17	4.30	---	8.0	7.9	---	8.2
MEMPHIS	6.27	6.23	26/6.08	26/6.02	4.30	---	8.0	7.9	---	7.5
KNOXVILLE	6.03	5.37	5.51	5.00	4.30	---	8.0	7.9	---	8.0
CHATTANOOGA	6.72	6.14	6.03	5.65	4.30	---	8.0	7.9	---	8.0
MISSISSIPPI 32/	6.80	6.52	6.00	5.63	3.87	---	8.0	7.6	---	7.9
AVERAGE 2/	6.31	5.94	5.88	5.51	---	---	8.0	---	---	7.9
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL										
NORTHERN GROUP										
CENTRAL ARKANSAS 33/	6.27	6.23	6.03	6.31	4.30	---	8.0	7.9	---	8.0
FORT SMITH	6.28	6.24	26/6.06	26/6.05	4.30	---	8.3	7.9	---	8.2
OKLAHOMA METROPOLITAN 34/	6.31	6.03	5.77	5.24	4.16	---	8.3	7.9	---	8.2
RED RIVER VALLEY 35/	6.53	6.25	5.74	5.28	4.16	---	8.3	7.9	---	8.1
TEXAS PANHANDLE 36/	6.58	6.30	5.98	5.48	4.18	---	8.0	7.6	---	7.9
LUBBOCK - PLAINVIEW	6.75	6.47	6.40	5.72	4.17	---	8.3	7.9	---	8.2
AVERAGE 2/	6.38	6.16	5.88	5.49	---	---	8.2	---	---	8.1
SOUTHERN GROUP										
NORTHERN LOUISIANA 37/	6.80	6.52	6.45	6.00	4.27	---	8.0	7.6	---	7.9
NEW ORLEANS	7.18	6.90	6.01	5.80	3.87	---	8.0	7.6	---	7.9
NORTH TEXAS 38/	6.65	6.37	6.10	5.47	4.17	---	8.3	7.9	---	8.2
CENTRAL WEST TEXAS 39/	6.90	6.62	6.49	5.94	4.17	---	8.3	7.9	---	8.2
AUSTIN - WACC 40/	7.03	6.75	26/6.69	26/6.52	4.18	---	8.0	7.6	---	7.6
SAN ANTONIO	7.07	6.79	6.19	5.90	41/4.10	---	8.3	7.4	---	7.6
CORPUS CHRISTI 42/	7.40	7.12	26/7.08	26/6.63	4.18	---	8.0	7.6	---	7.9
SOUTH TEXAS 43/	7.01	---	6.71	---	4.27	---	8.3	7.9	---	8.2
AVERAGE 2/	7.08	6.80	6.33	6.01	---	---	8.1	---	---	7.8
MOUNTAIN										
EASTERN COLORADO 44/	6.57	6.35	5.93	5.76	4.45	4.30	8.7	8.2	8.2	8.5
GREAT BASIN 45/	6.58	6.21	5.64	5.39	4.23	4.08	9.0	7.9	7.9	8.5
WESTERN COLORADO 46/	6.52	6.30	5.71	5.76	4.35	4.27	8.7	8.2	8.2	8.5
CENTRAL ARIZONA 47/	6.83	6.43	6.08	5.90	4.42	4.17	9.0	7.9	7.9	8.6
RIO GRANDE VALLEY 48/	6.68	6.36	6.02	5.62	49/4.17	---	8.4	7.9	---	8.3
AVERAGE 2/	6.66	6.35	5.92	5.69	---	---	8.8	---	---	8.5
PACIFIC										
PUGET SOUND 50/	6.18	5.90	5.36	5.05	4.52	4.27	8.4	8.2	8.2	8.3
INLAND EMPIRE 51/	6.19	6.05	5.45	5.37	4.36	4.11	8.3	7.9	7.9	8.1
AVERAGE 2/	6.18	5.92	5.37	5.09	---	---	8.4	---	---	8.3
60-MARKET AVERAGE 2/	6.45	5.99	5.83	5.43	---	---	8.1	---	---	8.0
ALL-MARKET AVERAGE	6.36	5.90	5.74	5.32	---	---	8.1	---	---	8.1

* Major city in the marketing area. ** All averages are weighted.

1/ 201-210 mile zone. Boston nearby plant Class I price, 1968, \$7.31; and 1967, \$6.79. 2/ Markets under regulation on January 1, 1967, and which have had no significant marketing area expansions. Excludes Massachusetts-R.I.-N.H., Eastern Ohio-Western Pa., Chicago Regional, Nebraska-Western Iowa, Minnesota-North Dakota, North Texas, and South Texas. 3/ 201-210 mile zone. New York metropolitan area Class I price, 1968, \$6.97; and 1967, \$6.35. 4/ Philadelphia. 5/ Baltimore. Blend price does not include non-complying handlers. 6/ Charleston-Huntington, West Virginia. 7/ Bristol, Tennessee. 8/ Miami. Class IV price \$3.15.

9/ Jacksonville and Tallahassee. 10/ Traverse City. 11/ Detroit. 12/ Toledo. 13/ Merger of Northeastern Ohio, Youngstown-Warren, and Wheeling effective July 1, 1968. 14/ Cleveland-Erie district. 15/ Weighted average of combined markets. 16/ Dayton. Class II price, plus 20 cents for skim milk used to produce cottage cheese. 17/ Zone II (Marquette). 18/ Weighted average of all handlers' blend prices at all locations. 19/ Merger of Northeastern Wisconsin, Milwaukee, Rock River Valley, Northwestern Indiana, and Madison effective July 1, 1968. 20/ Zone I. 21/ Base zone. 22/ Peoria. 23/ Sioux Falls. 24/ Rapid City, South Dakota.

25/ Zone I (Waterloo). 26/ Weighted average of all handlers' blend prices. 27/ Rock Island, Illinois. 28/ Base zone (Fargo). 29/ Zone I (St. Louis). 30/ Kansas City and Topeka. 31/ Pittsburg, Kansas. 32/ Gulfport. Class I and blend price at (Jackson and Greenville 16¢ less). 33/ Little Rock. 34/ Oklahoma City. 35/ Wichita Falls, Texas. 36/ Amarillo. 37/ Monroe and Shreveport. 38/ Zone I (Dallas). 39/ Abilene. Class II (Cheddar cheese) \$3.72. 40/ Zone I-New Braunfels, Texas. 41/ Class II (Cheddar cheese) \$3.75. 42/ Mercedes. Class II price, plus 25 cents for skim milk used to produce cottage cheese. 43/ Houston. 44/ Denver. 45/ Salt Lake City, Utah. 46/ Grand Junction. 47/ Phoenix. 48/ Albuquerque, Santa Fe, and El Paso. 49/ \$1.40 credit on Class II skim milk dumped or disposed of as livestock feed; \$1.25 credit on skim milk used to produce condensed skim milk and on milk or skim milk transferred or diverted as Class II milk to a nonpool plant outside the marketing area. 50/ District I (Seattle). 51/ Spokane, Washington.

TABLE 3.--FEDERAL ORDER MINIMUM CLASS I AND BLEND PRICES FOR MILK OF 3.5 PERCENT BUTTERFAT CONTENT, F.O.B.
MARKET OR OTHER INDICATED POINT, JANUARY - DECEMBER, AVERAGES 1/

MARKETING AREA	CLASS I *			BLEND *		
	1968	1967	CHANGE 1968 OVER 1967	1968	1967	CHANGE 1968 OVER 1967
DOLLARS PER 100 POUNDS						
<u>NEW ENGLAND</u>						
MASSACHUSETTS-R.I.-N.H.	6.65	6.32	0.33	5.56	5.22	0.34
CONNECTICUT	7.05	6.79	.26	6.44	6.19	.25
AVERAGE 2/	7.05	6.79	.26	6.44	6.19	.25
<u>MIDDLE ATLANTIC</u>						
NEW YORK-NEW JERSEY	6.43	6.01	.42	5.39	5.02	.37
DELAWARE VALLEY	6.90	6.54	.36	6.17	6.02	.15
AVERAGE 2/	6.54	6.13	.41	5.53	5.17	.36
<u>SOUTH ATLANTIC</u>						
UPPER CHESAPEAKE 8AY	6.81	6.43	.38	6.00	5.68	.32
WASHINGTON, D.C.	6.80	6.46	.34	6.12	5.84	.28
CLARKSBURG	6.30	6.01	.29	5.87	5.50	.37
TRI-STATE	5.93	5.83	.10	5.54	5.49	.05
APPALACHIAN	6.36	6.15	.21	6.12	5.83	.29
TAMPA BAY	7.10	7.02	.08	6.57	6.27	.30
SOUTHEASTERN FLORIDA	7.30	7.16	.14	6.95	6.79	.16
UPPER FLORIDA	7.00	6.87	.13	6.76	6.49	.27
AVERAGE 2/	6.79	6.56	.23	6.25	6.00	.25
<u>EAST NORTH CENTRAL</u>						
<u>EASTERN GROUP</u>						
UPSTATE MICHIGAN	5.73	5.46	.27	5.38	4.95	.43
SOUTHERN MICHIGAN	5.73	5.22	.51	5.23	4.79	.44
NORTHWESTERN OHIO	5.84	5.55	.29	5.34	5.09	.25
EASTERN OHIO-WESTERN PA.	6.06	5.74	.32	5.45	5.16	.29
COLUMBUS	5.80	5.68	.12	5.41	5.26	.15
MIAMI VALLEY	6.00	5.67	.33	5.62	5.26	.36
CINCINNATI	6.09	5.77	.32	5.59	5.20	.39
AVERAGE 2/	5.82	5.41	.41	5.33	4.95	.38
<u>WESTERN GROUP</u>						
MICHIGAN UPPER PENINSULA	5.47	5.12	.35	5.07	4.77	.30
CHICAGO REGIONAL	5.30	4.86	.44	4.80	4.48	.32
FORT WAYNE	5.67	5.46	.21	5.22	5.01	.21
LSVILLE-LXGTCN-EVNSVILLE	5.88	5.64	.24	5.43	5.18	.25
INDIANAPOLIS	5.75	5.53	.22	5.36	5.14	.22
SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	5.64	5.27	.37	5.26	4.94	.32
CENTRAL ILLINOIS	5.50	5.15	.35	4.99	4.77	.22
AVERAGE 2/	5.73	5.46	.27	5.31	5.05	.26
<u>WEST NORTH CENTRAL</u>						
<u>NORTHERN GROUP</u>						
DULUTH - SUPERIOR	5.34	5.09	.25	4.59	4.37	.22
MINNEAPOLIS - ST. PAUL	5.18	4.85	.33	4.71	4.48	.23
EASTERN SOUTH DAKOTA	5.67	5.40	.27	5.14	4.92	.22
BLACK HILLS	6.57	6.38	.19	4.98	5.08	-.10
NORTH CENTRAL IOWA	5.34	5.01	.33	5.04	4.84	.20
CEDAR RAPIDS - IOWA CITY	5.41	5.05	.36	4.84	4.63	.21
QUAO CITIES - DUBUQUE	5.41	5.06	.35	4.96	4.66	.30
DES MOINES	5.57	5.21	.36	5.14	4.87	.27
NEBRASKA - WESTERN IOWA	5.84	5.63	.21	5.30	5.12	.18
MINNESOTA - NORTH DAKOTA	5.29	5.11	.18	4.63	4.53	.10
AVERAGE 2/	5.36	5.03	.33	4.85	4.62	.23

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TABLE 2.--FEDERAL ORDER MINIMUM CLASS I AND BLEND PRICES FOR MILK OF 3.5 PERCENT BUTTERFAT CONTENT, F.O.B. MARKET OR OTHER INDICATED POINT, JANUARY - DECEMBER, AVERAGES 1/-CON.

MARKETING AREA	CLASS I*			BLEND*		
	1968	1967	CHANGE 1968 OVER 1967	1968	1967	CHANGE 1968 OVER 1967
DOLLARS PER 100 POUNDS						
<u>WEST NORTH CENTRAL--CON.</u>						
<u>SOUTHERN GROUP</u>						
ST LOUIS - OZARKS	5.68	5.28	0.40	5.19	4.85	0.34
KANSAS CITY	5.81	5.48	.33	5.28	5.01	.27
NEOSHO VALLEY	5.81	5.57	.24	5.09	4.82	.27
WICHITA	6.03	5.83	.20	5.46	5.29	.17
AVERAGE 2/	5.78	5.44	.34	5.26	4.97	.29
<u>EAST SOUTH CENTRAL</u>						
PAQUAH	5.96	5.53	.43	5.74	5.24	.50
NASHVILLE	5.80	5.52	.28	5.44	5.10	.34
MEMPHIS	6.21	6.15	.06	6.02	5.94	.08
KNOXVILLE	5.73	5.33	.40	5.33	4.83	.50
CHATTANOOGA	6.50	6.07	.43	5.97	5.52	.45
MISSISSIPPI	6.71	6.52	.19	5.86	5.67	.19
AVERAGE 2/	6.16	5.90	.26	5.71	5.39	.32
<u>WEST SOUTH CENTRAL</u>						
<u>NORTHERN GROUP</u>						
CENTRAL ARKANSAS	6.21	6.15	.06	6.09	6.03	.06
FORT SMITH	6.22	6.18	.04	5.97	5.93	.04
OKLAHOMA METROPOLITAN	6.21	6.02	.19	5.34	5.24	.10
RED RIVER VALLEY	6.44	6.24	.20	5.48	5.43	.05
TEXAS PANHANDLE	6.48	6.27	.21	5.79	5.61	.18
LUBBOCK - PLAINVIEW	6.65	6.43	.22	6.10	5.73	.37
AVERAGE 2/	6.29	6.14	.15	5.59	5.50	.09
<u>SOUTHERN GROUP</u>						
NORTHERN LOUISIANA	6.70	6.50	.20	6.35	6.04	.31
NEW ORLEANS	7.09	6.63	.46	6.04	5.64	.40
NORTH TEXAS	6.56	6.33	.23	5.69	5.41	.28
CENTRAL WEST TEXAS	6.80	6.58	.22	6.24	6.07	.17
AUSTIN - WACO	6.94	6.70	.24	6.65	6.39	.26
SAN ANTONIO	6.97	6.75	.22	5.94	5.93	.01
CORPUS CHRISTI	7.30	7.08	.22	6.84	6.68	.16
SOUTH TEXAS	7.01	---	---	6.79	---	---
AVERAGE 2/	6.98	6.70	.28	6.23	6.00	.23
<u>MOUNTAIN</u>						
EASTERN COLORADO	6.50	6.24	.26	5.87	5.64	.23
GREAT BASIN	6.44	6.18	.26	5.47	5.20	.27
WESTERN COLORADO	6.44	6.19	.25	5.72	5.46	.26
CENTRAL ARIZONA	6.70	6.45	.25	6.16	5.80	.36
RIO GRANDE VALLEY	6.57	6.32	.25	5.63	5.66	-.03
AVERAGE 2/	6.56	6.30	.26	5.81	5.58	.23
<u>PACIFIC</u>						
PUGET SOUND	6.08	5.88	.20	5.19	4.94	.25
INLAND EMPIRE	6.19	5.97	.22	5.44	5.23	.21
AVERAGE 2/	6.10	5.90	.20	5.22	4.98	.24
60-MARKET AVERAGE 2/	6.25	5.93	.32	5.55	5.25	.30
ALL-MARKET AVERAGE	6.17	5.85	.32	5.46	5.17	.29

* All prices are weighted.

1/ See footnotes on table 2 for location at which price is reported.

2/ Markets under regulation on January 1, 1967, and which have had no significant marketing area expansions. Excludes Massachusetts-R.I.-N.H., Eastern Ohio-Western Pennsylvania, Chicago Regional, Nebraska-Western Iowa, Minnesota-North Dakota, North Texas, and South Texas.

TABLE 4.--NUMBER OF PRODUCERS DELIVERING MILK TO HANDLERS REGULATED UNDER FEDERAL ORDERS, TOTAL DELIVERIES, AND AVERAGE DAILY DELIVERIES PER PRODUCER, DECEMBER

MARKETING AREA	NUMBER OF PRODUCERS		PRODUCER DELIVERIES			AVERAGE BUTTERFAT PERCENTAGE OF MILK DELIVERIES		AVERAGE DAILY DELIVERIES PER PRODUCER	
	DEC 1968	CHANGE FROM DEC 1967	DEC 1968	DEC 1967	CHANGE FROM DEC 1967	DEC 1968	DEC 1967	DEC 1968	DEC 1967
	NUMBER		1,000 LBS.		PERCENT	PERCENT		POUNDS	
<u>NEW ENGLAND</u>									
MASSACHUSETTS-R.I.-N.H.	8,436	-398	270,490	266,392	1.5	3.82	3.81	1,034	973
CONNECTICUT	1,914	-122	97,171	94,873	2.4	3.78	3.74	1,638	1,503
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	1,914	-122	97,171	94,873	2.4	3.78	3.74	1,638	1,503
<u>MIDDLE ATLANTIC</u>									
NEW YORK-NEW JERSEY	29,155	-2,050	802,245	801,791	0	3.66	3.65	888	829
DELAWARE VALLEY	5,347	-13	197,119	182,569	8.0	3.80	3.78	1,189	1,099
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	34,502	-2,063	999,364	984,360	1.5	3.69	3.67	934	868
<u>SOUTH ATLANTIC</u>									
UPPER CHESAPEAKE BAY	1,958	-53	74,221	66,641	11.4	3.87	3.87	1,223	1,069
WASHINGTON, D.C.	1,908	-22	91,931	85,987	6.9	3.91	3.87	1,554	1,437
CLARKSBURG	157	-106	4,898	7,166	-31.6	3.98	3.92	1,006	879
TRI-STATE	1,520	105	34,652	32,560	6.4	3.89	3.82	735	742
APPALACHIAN	745	-27	28,432	27,324	4.0	3.87	3.81	1,231	1,142
TAMPA BAY	130	-8	30,519	30,501	0	3.95	3.84	7,573	7,130
SOUTHEASTERN FLORIDA	88	---	47,172	50,091	-5.8	3.94	3.77	17,292	18,362
UPPER FLORIDA	188	-13	40,551	35,747	13.4	3.98	3.95	6,958	5,737
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	6,694	-124	352,376	336,017	4.9	3.91	3.85	1,698	1,590
<u>EAST NORTH CENTRAL</u>									
<u>EASTERN GROUP</u>									
UPSTATE MICHIGAN	40	-9	1,124	1,172	-4.1	3.71	3.71	907	771
SOUTHERN MICHIGAN	9,366	-595	295,929	291,440	1.5	3.74	3.74	1,019	944
NORTHWESTERN OHIO	1,449	8	42,346	44,295	-4.4	3.89	3.90	943	992
EASTERN OHIO-WESTERN PA.	10,168	3,563	252,282	169,905	48.5	3.83	3.82	800	830
COLUMBUS	1,623	-28	44,158	46,242	-4.5	3.95	3.92	878	903
MIAMI VALLEY	1,353	-21	38,010	38,853	-2.2	3.95	3.94	906	912
CINCINNATI	2,634	-102	55,045	53,584	2.7	3.87	3.85	674	632
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	16,465	-747	476,612	475,586	.2	3.80	3.80	934	891
<u>WESTERN GROUP</u>									
MICHIGAN UPPER PENINSULA	389	-80	8,368	10,157	-17.6	3.76	3.73	694	699
CHICAGO REGIONAL	17,089	2,451	567,406	487,041	16.5	3.79	3.78	1,071	1,073
FORT WAYNE	954	5	26,132	24,042	8.7	3.88	3.94	884	817
LSVILLE-LXGTON-EVNSVILLE	3,035	-52	81,338	79,288	2.6	3.94	3.86	865	829
INDIANAPOLIS	2,921	261	84,594	75,305	12.3	3.97	3.91	934	913
SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	2,332	-47	64,961	61,360	5.9	3.82	3.83	899	832
CENTRAL ILLINOIS	743	-16	21,495	20,348	5.6	3.90	3.88	933	865
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	10,374	71	286,888	270,500	6.0	3.91	3.87	892	847
<u>WEST NORTH CENTRAL</u>									
<u>NORTHERN GROUP</u>									
DULUTH - SUPERIOR	684	-27	14,176	14,280	-.7	3.84	3.81	669	648
MINNEAPOLIS - ST. PAUL	4,186	-69	131,304	130,678	.5	3.82	3.83	1,012	991
EASTERN SOUTH OAKOTA	384	-33	14,176	14,229	-.4	3.75	3.72	1,191	1,101
BLACK HILLS	102	---	4,810	4,688	2.6	3.85	3.81	1,521	1,483
NORTH CENTRAL IOWA	846	-50	21,890	27,628	-20.8	3.83	3.77	1,113	995
CEDAR RAPIDS - IOWA CITY	364	47	11,014	9,383	17.4	3.93	3.83	1,033	955
QUAO CITIES - DUBUQUE	1,035	24	34,207	33,265	2.8	3.84	3.81	1,066	1,061
DES MOINES	1,200	193	35,760	29,668	20.5	3.92	3.81	1,067	1,036
NEBRASKA - WESTERN IOWA	1,728	126	66,263	59,043	12.2	3.83	3.82	1,237	1,189
MINNESOTA - NORTH DAKOTA	1,410	-56	42,112	38,378	9.7	3.68	3.62	963	1,052
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	8,801	85	267,337	263,819	1.3	3.84	3.81	980	976

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TABLE 4.--NUMBER OF PRODUCERS DELIVERING MILK TO HANDLERS REGULATED UNDER FEDERAL ORDERS, TOTAL DELIVERIES, AND AVERAGE DAILY DELIVERIES PER PRODUCER, DECEMBER -CON.

MARKETING AREA	NUMBER OF PRODUCERS		PRODUCER DELIVERIES			AVERAGE BUTTERFAT PERCENTAGE OF MILK DELIVERIES		AVERAGE DAILY DELIVERIES PER PRODUCER	
	DEC 1968	CHANGE FROM DEC 1967	DEC 1968	DEC 1967	CHANGE FROM DEC 1967	DEC 1968	DEC 1967	DEC 1968	DEC 1967
	NUMBER		1,000 LBS.		PERCENT	PERCENT		POUNDS	
<u>WEST NORTH CENTRAL -CON.</u>									
<u>SOUTHERN GROUP</u>									
ST LOUIS - OZARKS	3,251	-297	103,815	100,044	3.8	3.94	3.91	1,030	910
KANSAS CITY	2,234	-46	90,874	86,795	4.7	3.87	3.77	1,312	1,228
NEOSHO VALLEY	371	20	9,815	8,736	12.4	3.85	3.80	1,173	1,013
WICHITA	871	-28	35,225	26,126	34.8	3.87	3.81	1,281	1,253
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	6,727	-351	239,729	221,701	8.1	3.90	3.84	1,150	1,010
<u>EAST SOUTH CENTRAL</u>									
PADUCAH	334	-29	9,905	10,557	-6.2	4.31	4.16	957	938
NASHVILLE	1,171	-45	38,506	36,882	4.4	4.04	3.97	1,061	978
MEMPHIS	743	-16	26,361	25,726	2.5	3.89	3.90	1,497	1,395
KNOXVILLE	703	-89	23,682	24,459	-3.2	3.95	3.90	1,087	996
CHATTANOOGA	619	71	22,314	18,130	23.1	4.16	4.12	1,163	1,067
MISSISSIPPI	1,001	-104	37,376	38,016	-1.7	4.17	4.09	1,204	1,110
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	4,571	-212	158,144	153,770	2.8	4.07	4.01	1,116	1,037
<u>WEST SOUTH CENTRAL</u>									
<u>NORTHERN GROUP</u>									
CENTRAL ARKANSAS	793	-8	24,712	19,224	28.5	3.85	3.81	1,217	1,191
FORT SMITH	167	24	3,684	3,590	2.6	3.97	3.85	1,311	1,302
OKLAHOMA METROPOLITAN	1,473	-513	55,609	62,321	-10.8	3.77	3.78	1,218	1,012
RED RIVER VALLEY	389	-17	15,517	18,335	-15.4	3.76	3.72	1,287	1,523
TEXAS PANHANDLE	289	-3	11,317	13,016	-13.0	3.73	3.72	1,263	1,438
LUBBOCK - PLAINVIEW	184	43	6,297	8,002	-21.3	3.79	3.83	1,104	1,831
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	3,295	-474	117,136	124,488	-5.9	3.79	3.77	1,147	1,065
<u>SOUTHERN GROUP</u>									
NORTHERN LOUISIANA	323	-11	17,503	18,469	-5.2	4.13	4.10	1,748	1,784
NEW ORLEANS	1,281	-52	47,137	45,222	4.2	4.03	3.99	1,187	1,094
NORTH TEXAS	2,199	351	93,043	96,798	-3.9	3.82	3.82	1,365	1,690
CENTRAL WEST TEXAS	283	-14	14,678	16,675	-12.0	3.81	3.75	1,673	1,811
AUSTIN - WACO	294	72	12,152	10,982	10.6	3.74	3.68	1,795	1,884
SAN ANTONIO	339	-514	24,548	30,542	-19.6	3.72	3.65	2,336	1,958
CORPUS CHRISTI	185	-31	12,819	14,548	-11.9	4.18	4.13	2,329	2,213
SOUTH TEXAS	1,574	---	53,699	---	---	3.95	---	1,452	---
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	2,705	-550	128,837	136,438	-5.6	3.95	3.89	1,536	1,352
<u>MOUNTAIN</u>									
EASTERN COLORADO	1,298	-112	58,506	55,408	5.6	3.82	3.80	1,454	1,267
GREAT BASIN	907	-31	35,906	33,981	5.7	3.85	3.89	1,277	1,169
WESTERN COLORADO	80	-5	3,248	3,598	-9.7	3.97	3.93	1,310	1,548
CENTRAL ARIZONA	182	-10	44,771	41,579	7.7	3.75	3.81	7,924	6,963
RIO GRANDE VALLEY	374	90	27,159	29,041	-6.5	3.76	3.75	4,156	3,975
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	2,841	-68	169,590	163,607	3.6	3.80	3.82	1,926	1,814
<u>PACIFIC</u>									
PUGET SOUND	1,867	-171	99,975	100,298	-3	3.99	4.00	1,727	1,588
INLAND EMPIRE	445	-16	17,263	15,871	8.8	4.02	4.05	1,251	1,111
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	2,312	-187	117,238	116,169	.9	3.99	4.01	1,636	1,500
60-MARKET AVG. OR TOTAL 1/	101,201	-4,742	3,410,422	3,341,328	2.1	3.82	3.80	1,087	1,017
ALL-MARKET AVG. OR TOTAL	143,805	2,869	4,755,717	4,458,885	6.6	3.82	3.80	1,067	1,020

1/ Markets under regulation on January 1, 1967, and which have had no significant marketing area expansions. Excludes Massachusetts-R.I.-N.H., Eastern Ohio-Western Pennsylvania, Chicago Regional, Nebraska-Western Iowa, Minnesota-North Dakota, North Texas, and South Texas.

TABLE 5.-- PRODUCER MILK DELIVERIES USED IN CLASS I AND GROSS CLASS I SALES BY HANDLERS REGULATED UNDER FEDERAL ORDERS, DECEMBER

MARKETING AREA	PRODUCER DELIVERIES USED IN CLASS I			% USED IN CL. I		GROSS CLASS I		DELIVERIES AS % OF GR. CL. I	
	DEC 1968	DEC 1967	CHANGE FROM DEC 1967	DEC 1968	DEC 1967	DEC 1968	CHANGE FROM DEC 1967	DEC 1968	DEC 1967
	1,000 POUNDS		PERCENT	PERCENT		1,000 LBS	PERCENT	PERCENT	
NEW ENGLAND									
MASSACHUSETTS-R.I.-N.H.	175,300	181,459	-3.4	65	68	118,756	-2.8	149	142
CONNECTICUT	76,447	77,523	-1.4	79	82	78,852	-1.3	123	119
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	76,447	77,523	-1.4	79	82	---	---	---	---
MIDDLE ATLANTIC									
NEW YORK-NEW JERSEY	482,416	2/ 441,007	9.4	60	55	482,494	9.4	166	182
DELAWARE VALLEY	136,411	140,973	-3.2	69	77	146,479	-2.5	135	122
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	618,827	581,980	6.3	62	59	---	---	---	---
SOUTH ATLANTIC									
UPPER CHESAPEAKE BAY	50,960	50,368	1.2	69	76	50,978	.8	146	132
WASHINGTON, D.C.	64,865	69,260	-6.3	70	80	65,071	-6.2	141	124
CLARKSBURG	3,999	5,681	-29.6	82	79	4,000	-29.6	122	126
TRI-STATE	29,163	26,728	9.1	84	82	29,514	7.4	117	118
APPALACHIAN	24,564	22,844	7.5	86	84	24,574	6.9	116	119
TAMPA BAY	26,745	24,201	10.5	88	79	27,328	12.8	112	126
SOUTHEASTERN FLORIDA	42,241	43,617	-3.2	90	87	44,171	0	107	113
UPPER FLORIDA	36,203	30,125	20.2	89	84	38,738	26.4	105	117
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	278,740	272,824	2.2	79	81	---	---	---	---
EAST NORTH CENTRAL									
EASTERN GROUP									
UPSTATE MICHIGAN	876	999	-12.3	78	85	3,057	-2	37	38
SOUTHERN MICHIGAN	200,238	197,721	1.3	68	68	204,018	.5	145	144
NORTHWESTERN OHIO	31,044	32,678	-5.0	73	74	31,357	-4.3	135	135
EASTERN OHIO-WESTERN PA.	189,899	123,014	54.4	75	72	191,958	53.7	131	136
COLUMBUS	36,690	37,048	-1.0	83	80	37,162	-5	119	124
MIAMI VALLEY	30,412	29,747	2.2	80	76	32,585	1.7	117	121
CINCINNATI	43,823	43,465	.8	80	81	50,541	6.6	109	113
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	343,083	341,658	.4	72	72	---	---	---	---
WESTERN GROUP									
MICHIGAN UPPER PENINSULA	6,339	7,276	-12.9	76	72	6,615	-9.5	126	139
CHICAGO REGIONAL	331,470	288,362	14.9	58	59	333,213	11.8	170	163
FORT WAYNE	17,124	16,676	2.7	66	69	17,184	-.8	152	139
LSVILLE-LXGTON-EVNSVILLE	62,357	61,238	1.8	77	77	62,655	2.0	130	129
INDIANAPOLIS	65,975	59,173	11.5	78	78	69,849	12.1	121	121
SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	47,741	47,818	-.2	73	78	52,098	.1	125	118
CENTRAL ILLINOIS	13,708	13,586	.9	64	67	15,853	-2.9	136	124
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	213,244	205,767	3.6	74	76	---	---	---	---
WEST NORTH CENTRAL									
NORTHERN GROUP									
DULUTH - SUPERIOR	7,752	7,159	8.3	55	50	7,882	8.6	180	197
MINNEAPOLIS - ST. PAUL	66,221	64,076	3.3	50	49	66,251	3.2	198	204
EASTERN SOUTH DAKOTA	10,048	9,874	1.8	71	69	10,099	.4	140	142
BLACK HILLS	1,298	2,663	-51.2	27	57	1,299	-51.7	370	174
NORTH CENTRAL IOWA	18,253	22,633	-19.4	83	82	18,302	-21.1	120	119
CEDAR RAPIDS - IOWA CITY	6,492	6,180	5.0	59	66	6,492	-.3	170	144
QUAD CITIES - DUBUQUE	21,964	22,334	-1.6	64	67	22,089	-2.2	155	147
OES MOINES	25,486	22,065	15.5	71	74	26,618	13.5	134	126
NEBRASKA - WESTERN IOWA	47,478	3/ 38,382	23.7	72	65	47,506	3/ 23.4	139	153
MINNESOTA - NORTH DAKOTA	16,867	16,561	1.8	40	43	18,059	.6	233	214
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	157,514	156,984	.3	59	60	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 5.--PRODUCER MILK DELIVERIES USED IN CLASS I AND GROSS CLASS I SALES BY HANDLERS REGULATED UNDER FEDERAL ORDERS, DECEMBER -CON.

MARKETING AREA	PRODUCER DELIVERIES USED IN CLASS I			% USED IN CL. I		GROSS CLASS I		DELIVERIES AS % OF	
	DEC 1968	DEC 1967	CHANGE FROM DEC 1967	DEC 1968	DEC 1967	DEC 1968	CHANGE FROM DEC 1967	DEC 1968	DEC 1967
	1,000 POUNDS		PERCENT	PERCENT		1,000 LBS	PERCENT	PERCENT	
<u>WEST NORTH CENTRAL -CON.</u>									
<u>SOUTHERN GROUP</u>									
ST LOUIS - OZARKS	76,577	68,978	11.0	74	69	79,488	6.2	131	134
KANSAS CITY	57,532	57,969	- .8	63	67	58,174	- .4	156	149
NEOSHO VALLEY	5,742	5,341	7.5	58	61	6,719	- .4	146	129
WICHITA	25,585	20,762	23.2	73	79	26,658	21.4	132	119
AVERAGE OR TOTAL <u>1/</u>	165,436	153,050	8.1	69	69	---	---	---	---
<u>EAST SOUTH CENTRAL</u>									
PADUCAH	8,450	9,064	-6.8	85	86	8,581	-6.9	115	114
NASHVILLE	31,641	28,149	12.4	82	76	31,950	12.7	120	130
MEMPHIS	23,286	22,939	1.5	88	89	24,498	3.8	108	109
KNOXVILLE	16,689	17,975	-7.2	70	73	17,186	-5.6	138	134
CHATTANOOGA	16,321	14,148	15.4	73	78	20,386	23.2	109	110
MISSISSIPPI	26,784	24,999	7.1	72	66	29,354	7.0	127	138
AVERAGE OR TOTAL <u>1/</u>	123,171	117,274	5.0	78	76	---	---	---	---
<u>WEST SOUTH CENTRAL</u>									
<u>NORTHERN GROUP</u>									
CENTRAL ARKANSAS	20,917	18,344	14.0	85	95	22,082	7.9	112	94
FORT SMITH	3,299	3,298	0	90	92	3,301	-4.6	112	104
OKLAHOMA METROPOLITAN	41,707	38,646	7.9	75	62	46,265	5.8	120	143
RED RIVER VALLEY	10,149	10,287	-1.3	65	56	10,577	-6.2	147	163
TEXAS PANHANDLE	8,465	8,672	-2.4	75	67	8,468	-2.4	134	150
LUBBOCK - PLAINVIEW	5,440	5,745	-5.3	86	72	5,846	1.7	108	139
AVERAGE OR TOTAL <u>1/</u>	89,977	84,992	5.9	77	68	---	---	---	---
<u>SOUTHERN GROUP</u>									
NORTHERN LOUISIANA	15,105	14,723	2.6	86	80	16,116	2.7	109	118
NEW ORLEANS	30,286	28,915	4.7	64	64	30,421	4.9	155	156
NORTH TEXAS	73,065	62,633	16.6	78	65	76,124	17.8	122	150
CENTRAL WEST TEXAS	12,312	12,892	-4.5	84	77	12,395	-4.6	118	128
AUSTIN - WACO	10,607	10,092	5.1	87	92	10,634	4.2	114	108
SAN ANTONIO	17,806	20,927	-14.9	72	68	24,914	5.0	98	129
CORPUS CHRISTI	11,521	12,304	-6.4	90	84	11,861	-3.6	108	118
SOUTH TEXAS	47,573	---	---	88	---	55,148	---	97	---
AVERAGE OR TOTAL <u>1/</u>	97,637	99,853	-2.2	76	73	---	---	---	---
<u>MOUNTAIN</u>									
EASTERN COLORADO	41,595	41,013	1.4	71	74	43,936	2.3	133	129
GREAT BASIN	22,616	22,839	-1.0	63	67	22,624	-1.0	159	149
WESTERN COLORADO	2,078	2,755	-24.6	64	76	2,126	-23.1	153	130
CENTRAL ARIZONA	33,857	33,221	1.9	76	80	33,898	1.7	132	125
RIO GRANDE VALLEY	21,300	21,848	-2.5	78	75	22,200	-2.7	122	127
AVERAGE OR TOTAL <u>1/</u>	121,446	121,676	-.2	72	74	---	---	---	---
<u>PACIFIC</u>									
PUGET SOUND	53,779	53,533	.4	54	53	53,907	.7	185	187
INLAND EMPIRE	11,003	10,812	1.8	64	68	11,014	1.7	157	146
AVERAGE OR TOTAL <u>1/</u>	64,782	64,345	.7	55	55	---	---	---	---
60-MARKET AVG. OR TOTAL <u>1/</u>	2,350,304	2,277,926	3.2	69	68	4/2,394,027	3.2	142	144
ALL-MARKET AVG. OR TOTAL	3,231,956	2,988,337	8.2	68	67	4/3,264,516	8.0	146	148

1/ Markets under regulation on January 1, 1967, and which have had no significant marketing area expansions. Excludes Massachusetts-R.I.-N.H., Eastern Ohio-Western Pa., Chicago Regional, Nebraska-Western Iowa, Minnesota-North Dakota, North Texas, and South Texas.

2/ Class I plus Class II = 481,852 thousand pounds and utilization = 60% in 1967.

3/ Prior to merger with Sioux City, May 1, 1968.

4/ Adjusted for duplication due to intermarket transfer.

TABLE 6.--PRODUCER MILK DELIVERIES TO HANDLERS REGULATED UNDER FEDERAL ORDERS AND DELIVERIES USED IN CLASS I
JANUARY - DECEMBER 1/

MARKETING AREA	PRODUCER DELIVERIES			PRODUCER DELIVERIES USED IN CLASS I			% USED IN CL. I	
	1968	1967	CHANGE 1968 OVER 1967	1968	1967	CHANGE 1968 OVER 1967	1968	1967
	1,000 POUNDS		PERCENT	1,000 POUNDS		PERCENT	PERCENT	
NEW ENGLAND								
MASSACHUSETTS-R.I.-N.H.	3,446,732	3,219,250	6.8	2,146,946	1,956,605	9.4	62	61
CONNECTICUT	1,143,319	1,139,475	0	901,220	897,889	.1	79	79
TOTAL 2/	1,143,319	1,139,475	0	901,220	897,889	.1	79	79
MIDDLE ATLANTIC								
NEW YORK-NEW JERSEY	10,085,973	10,741,456	-6.4	3/5,394,668	3/5,347,103	.6	53	50
DELAWARE VALLEY	2,284,579	1,942,254	17.3	1,621,834	1,521,944	6.2	71	78
TOTAL 2/	12,370,552	12,683,710	-2.7	7,016,502	6,869,047	1.9	57	54
SOUTH ATLANTIC								
UPPER CHESAPEAKE BAY	865,322	855,189	.9	599,848	603,125	-.8	69	70
WASHINGTON,D.C.	1,075,765	1,040,007	3.2	797,635	786,749	1.1	74	76
CLARKSBURG	77,130	85,584	-10.1	62,336	65,545	-5.2	81	76
TRI-STATE	420,470	422,135	-.6	323,661	338,715	-4.7	77	80
APPALACHIAN	336,029	314,290	6.6	305,900	278,632	9.5	91	89
TAMPA BAY	353,265	400,603	-12.1	278,925	288,675	-3.7	79	72
SOUTHEASTERN FLORIDA	570,527	567,819	.2	495,904	490,672	.8	87	86
UPPER FLORIDA	457,328	440,004	3.6	407,240	372,472	9.0	89	85
TOTAL 2/	4,155,836	4,125,631	.5	3,271,449	3,224,585	1.2	79	78
EAST NORTH CENTRAL								
EASTERN GROUP								
UPSTATE MICHIGAN	15,357	26,723	-42.7	11,974	18,207	-34.4	78	68
SOUTHERN MICHIGAN	3,525,445	3,503,028	.4	2,387,334	2,306,154	3.2	68	66
NORTHWESTERN OHIO	531,312	554,106	-4.4	376,256	398,986	-6.0	71	72
EASTERN OHIO-WESTERN PA.	2,689,810	2,136,362	25.6	1,848,494	1,454,282	26.8	69	68
COLUMBUS	556,202	542,483	2.2	430,982	423,012	1.6	77	78
MIAMI VALLEY	458,490	456,723	.1	362,780	354,907	1.9	79	78
CINCINNATI	700,869	712,523	-1.9	522,195	494,564	5.3	74	69
TOTAL 2/	5,787,675	5,795,586	-.4	4,091,521	3,995,830	2.1	71	69
WESTERN GROUP								
MICHIGAN UPPER PENINSULA	110,945	117,561	-5.9	81,123	86,343	-6.3	73	73
CHICAGO REGIONAL	6,313,326	5,273,137	19.4	3,473,187	3,014,474	14.9	55	57
FORT WAYNE	289,038	272,812	5.6	206,366	192,979	6.6	71	71
LSVILLE-LXGTON-EVNSVILLE	997,962	966,409	3.0	741,291	709,869	4.1	74	73
INDIANAPOLIS	960,034	901,001	6.3	743,198	689,749	7.4	77	76
SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	774,324	788,631	-2.1	545,434	556,119	-2.2	70	70
CENTRAL ILLINOIS	267,031	257,599	3.4	160,027	171,178	-6.8	60	66
TOTAL 2/	3,399,334	3,304,013	2.6	2,477,439	2,406,237	2.7	73	73
WEST NORTH CENTRAL								
NORTHERN GROUP								
DULUTH - SUPERIOR	174,907	165,878	5.2	87,488	83,563	4.4	50	50
MINNEAPOLIS - ST. PAUL	1,629,396	1,556,153	4.4	755,447	736,550	2.3	46	47
EASTERN SOUTH DAKOTA	177,163	182,517	-3.2	115,594	116,751	-1.3	65	64
BLACK HILLS	59,206	57,079	3.4	24,948	30,837	-19.4	42	54
NORTH CENTRAL IOWA	304,557	312,059	-2.7	233,425	266,067	-12.6	77	85
CEDAR RAPIDS - IOWA CITY	130,488	137,193	-5.1	72,360	84,881	-15.0	55	62
QUAD CITIES - DUBUQUE	393,211	366,455	7.0	253,427	231,337	9.2	64	63
DES MOINES	412,253	356,964	15.2	285,297	256,570	10.9	69	72
NEBRASKA - WESTERN IOWA	771,184	679,046	13.3	512,369	4/434,668	17.6	66	64
MINNESOTA - NORTH DAKOTA	500,883	73,362	---	199,990	35,038	---	40	---
TOTAL 2/	3,281,181	3,134,298	4.4	1,827,986	1,806,556	.9	56	58

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TABLE 6.--PRODUCER MILK DELIVERIES TO HANDLERS REGULATED UNDER FEDERAL ORDERS AND DELIVERIES USED IN CLASS I
JANUARY - DECEMBER 1/ -CON.

MARKETING AREA	PRODUCER DELIVERIES			PRODUCER DELIVERIES USED IN CLASS I			% USED IN CL. I	
	1968	1967	CHANGE 1968 OVER 1967	1968	1967	CHANGE 1968 OVER 1967	1968	1967
	1,000 POUNDS		PERCENT	1,000 POUNDS		PERCENT	PERCENT	
<u>WEST NORTH CENTRAL -CON.</u>								
<u>SOUTHERN GROUP</u>								
ST LOUIS - OZARKS	1,302,705	1,304,490	-0.4	861,130	837,225	2.6	66	64
KANSAS CITY	1,005,310	983,691	1.9	674,802	671,484	.2	67	68
NEOSHO VALLEY	113,336	110,129	2.6	63,919	58,947	8.1	56	54
WICHITA	414,912	396,186	4.4	289,621	282,485	2.2	70	71
TOTAL 2/	2,836,263	2,794,496	1.2	1,889,472	1,850,141	1.8	67	66
<u>EAST SOUTH CENTRAL</u>								
PADUCAH	129,624	128,569	.5	111,283	103,464	7.2	86	80
NASHVILLE	456,291	456,630	1.0	360,801	333,342	7.9	79	74
MEMPHIS	308,657	293,855	4.7	275,655	261,661	5.0	89	89
KNOXVILLE	294,611	287,410	2.2	222,040	202,943	9.1	75	71
CHATTANOOGA	240,415	214,583	11.8	188,358	167,926	11.9	78	78
MISSISSIPPI	457,268	439,096	3.9	320,220	301,574	5.9	70	69
TOTAL 2/	1,886,866	1,814,143	3.7	1,478,357	1,370,910	7.5	78	76
<u>WEST SOUTH CENTRAL</u>								
<u>NORTHERN GROUP</u>								
CENTRAL ARKANSAS	265,397	243,547	8.7	243,502	223,328	8.8	92	92
FORT SMITH	42,208	43,144	-2.4	37,412	38,500	-3.1	89	89
OKLAHOMA METROPOLITAN	770,687	663,824	15.8	459,876	421,783	8.7	60	64
RED RIVER VALLEY	210,007	224,656	-6.8	122,728	145,334	-15.8	58	65
TEXAS PANHANDLE	145,288	179,486	-19.3	104,661	131,265	-20.5	72	73
LUGBOCK - PLAINVIEW	81,997	86,316	-5.3	65,299	63,772	2.1	80	74
TOTAL 2/	1,515,584	1,440,973	4.9	1,033,478	1,023,982	.6	68	71
<u>SOUTHERN GROUP</u>								
NORTHERN LOUISIANA	206,910	211,494	-2.4	178,716	173,073	3.0	86	82
NEW ORLEANS	503,022	492,219	1.9	340,653	326,209	4.1	68	66
NORTH TEXAS	1,164,331	1,157,935	.3	780,539	745,453	4.4	67	64
CENTRAL WEST TEXAS	190,831	187,007	1.8	152,305	154,138	-1.5	80	82
AUSTIN - WACC	137,673	156,434	-12.2	125,068	139,009	-10.3	91	89
SAN ANTONIO	321,644	300,712	6.7	217,238	221,249	-2.1	68	74
CORPUS CHRISTI	169,539	178,397	-5.2	146,080	156,254	-6.8	86	88
SOUTH TEXAS	159,872	---	---	147,581	---	---	92	---
TOTAL 2/	1,529,619	1,526,263	-.3	1,160,060	1,169,932	-1.3	76	77
<u>MOUNTAIN</u>								
EASTERN COLORADO	694,535	668,983	3.5	498,936	477,286	4.2	72	71
GREAT BASIN	430,167	432,677	-.8	265,205	262,195	.9	62	60
WESTERN COLORADO	40,916	46,912	-13.0	28,048	31,887	-12.3	68	68
CENTRAL ARIZONA	507,736	525,473	-3.6	409,300	396,295	3.0	81	75
PIO GRANOE VALLEY	362,122	319,269	13.1	256,485	246,844	3.6	71	77
TOTAL 2/	2,035,476	1,993,314	1.8	1,457,974	1,414,507	2.8	72	71
<u>PACIFIC</u>								
PUGET SOUND	1,252,276	1,277,048	-2.2	638,981	614,705	3.6	51	48
INLAND EMPIRE	200,972	193,391	3.6	130,892	126,898	2.9	65	66
TOTAL 2/	1,453,248	1,470,439	-1.4	769,873	741,603	3.5	53	50
60 - MARKET TOTAL 2/	41,394,953	41,222,341	.1	27,375,331	26,771,219	2.0	66	65
ALL-MARKET TOTAL	56,441,091	53,761,433	4.7	36,484,437	34,411,739	5.7	65	64

1/ Volumes include 29-day totals for February 1968. The percentage changes are based on adjusted 28-day totals for February 1968 to make them comparable to 1967.

2/ Markets under regulation on January 1, 1967, and which have had no significant marketing area expansions. Excludes Massachusetts-R.I.-N.H., Eastern Ohio-Western Pennsylvania, Chicago Regional, Nebraska-Western Iowa, Minnesota-North Dakota, North Texas, and South Texas.

3/ Class I plus Class II = 5,598,298 thousand pounds in 1968 and 5,749,811 thousand pounds in 1967; utilization = 56% in 1968 and 54% in 1967.

4/ Prior to merger with Sioux City, May 1, 1968.

TABLE 7. WHOLE MILK, SKIM MILK ITEMS MILK AND CREAM MIXTURES, CREAM, AND TOTAL FLUID ITEMS SOLD IN MARKETING AREAS DEFINED BY FEDERAL MILK ORDERS FOR MARKETS WHERE SUCH INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE, NOVEMBER 1968 WITH COMPARISONS

MARKETING AREA	WHOLE MILK 1/				SKIM MILK ITEMS 2/				MILK AND CREAM MIXTURES			
	NOVEMBER 1968		CHANGE 1968 FROM 1967		NOVEMBER 1968		CHANGE 1968 FROM 1967		NOVEMBER 1968		CHANGE 1968 FROM 1967	
	DAILY AVG	BUTTER-FAT CONTENT	NOV.	YEAR TO DATE 3/	DAILY AVG	BUTTER-FAT CONTENT	NOV.	YEAR TO DATE 3/	DAILY AVG	BUTTER-FAT CONTENT	NOV.	YEAR TO DATE 3/
	1,000 LB.		PERCENT		1,000 LB.		PERCENT		1,000 LB.		PERCENT	
NEW ENGLAND												
MASSACHUSETTS-RI-NH 4/	5,533	3.56	-0.3	-0.1	478.0	0.97	25.1	24.4	24.1	11.8	-6.3	-12.7
CONNECTICUT	2,314	3.50	-1.3	-1.6	216.5	1.14	29.4	19.3	23.4	10.9	1.2	-5.6
MIDDLE ATLANTIC												
DELAWARE VALLEY	3,420	3.55	-1.8	-1.3	335.7	1.04	29.3	21.2	35.8	11.3	.2	0
SOUTH ATLANTIC												
UPPER CHESAPEAKE BAY	1,361	3.55	2.3	.5	128.2	1.14	17.4	23.8	16.2	11.8	-9.0	-10.2
WASHINGTON, D.C.	1,811	3.56	-1.9	-2.0	243.2	1.28	34.2	34.2	34.2	12.2	-7.9	-4.4
CLARKSBURG	199	3.53	5.3	5.3	16.1	1.48	25.2	14.3	2.1	11.9	-2.9	-5.2
TRI-STATE	940	3.51	4.9	5.6	114.7	1.40	22.3	17.1	6.3	11.8	3.5	5.0
APPALACHIAN	329	3.55	10.6	9.8	50.1	.81	26.6	18.7	1.1	12.4	.9	8.3
TAMPA BAY	902	3.61	4.6	4.5	148.8	1.06	14.8	14.4	12.2	11.1	5.2	2.7
SOUTHEASTERN FLORIDA	1,288	3.69	5.2	3.5	215.4	.99	22.8	19.8	29.6	10.7	8.0	6.6
UPPER FLORIDA	1,178	3.62	1.8	1.1	152.9	1.06	13.1	12.4	7.3	11.2	2.9	1.5
EAST NORTH CENTRAL												
EASTERN GROUP												
UPSTATE MICHIGAN	128	3.55	1.3	1.7	19.1	1.15	56.4	28.0	1.9	10.9	8.9	-2.4
SOUTHERN MICHIGAN	5,665	3.51	-1.7	-2.6	958.0	1.29	41.4	28.2	108.4	10.7	-5.4	-7.3
NORTHWESTERN OHIO	1,025	3.51	-4.0	-7.5	223.6	1.75	43.9	42.9	13.7	11.0	-10.2	-12.4
EASTERN OHIO-WESTERN PA. 5/	2,656	3.50	5.5	1.3	404.1	1.38	41.3	25.2	44.0	10.6	13.2	6.8
COLUMBUS	944	3.50	1.5	-2.0	145.3	1.40	34.4	23.2	11.4	10.7	-6.4	-10.2
MIAMI VALLEY 4/	649	3.52	.3	1.7	239.0	1.69	12.7	13.8	7.9	11.0	-5.8	-6.7
CINCINNATI	1,000	3.50	1.3	-2.2	255.9	1.58	9.8	12.1	12.3	11.1	-4.6	-3.7
WESTERN GROUP												
MICH. UPPER PENINSULA	247	3.55	-2.3	-3.2	45.6	1.47	25.3	19.5	3.7	11.7	-4.6	-3.2
CHICAGO REGIONAL 6/	8,226	3.44	1.2	2.4	1,860.9*	1.67	4.4	7.0	206.6	11.8	1.3	-5.5
FORT WAYNE	332	3.38	-11.5	-10.5	160.8	1.86	18.7	17.7	6.2	11.1	5.9	6.2
LOUIS.-LEX.-EVANS	1,529	3.40	2.3	0	325.2	1.58	21.4	13.7	16.4	11.4	-3	-8.5
INDIANAPOLIS	1,473	3.37	-1.1	-4.3	655.0	1.76	16.5	20.5	24.3	11.5	-2.4	-7
SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	1,180	3.31	-4	-1.1	428.8	1.77	17.5	15.9	24.1	11.3	-6.0	-2.6
CENTRAL ILLINOIS	390	3.29	-4	-2.8	141.2	1.72	22.1	23.3	8.9	11.2	-5.5	-6.7
WEST NORTH CENTRAL												
NORTHERN GROUP												
DULUTH - SUPERIOR	144	3.37	-5.4	-5.0	54.9	1.42	25.5	18.9	2.4	11.9	-2.3	-4.0
MINNEAPOLIS - ST. PAUL	1,018	3.28	-6.1	-6.0	651.8	1.54	18.0	15.4	24.3	10.5	.2	-5.2
EASTERN SOUTH DAKOTA	189	3.32	-4.0	-1.9	108.8	1.70	15.0	13.3	4.3	11.3	-2.5	-2.8
BLACK HILLS	59	3.35	-7.4	-5.1	25.4	1.77	30.1	27.5	1.2	12.7	-2.1	-6.0
NORTH CENTRAL IOWA	335	3.49	-5.8	3.3	144.4	1.60	16.2	17.9	7.3	11.8	-3.2	-3
CEDAR RAPIDS-ICWA CITY	133	3.43	-1	-3.9	55.7	1.20	30.6	15.8	2.9	12.0	5.0	-4.0
QUAD CITIES - DUBUQUE	405	3.39	-1	-3.7	135.1	1.43	20.1	14.8	8.7	11.8	-4.1	-7.2
DES MOINES	442	3.60	.3	-7.1	169.3	1.56	24.9	17.3	10.2	12.5	4.1	-4.1
NEBRASKA-WESTERN IOWA 6/	1,114	3.37	4.0	.8	357.1	1.59	17.5	15.0	26.1	11.6	-7.0	-6.2

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MARKETING AREA	CREAM				TOTAL FLUID			
	NOVEMBER 1968		CHANGE 1968 FROM 1967		NOVEMBER 1968		CHANGE 1968 FROM 1967	
	DAILY AVERAGE	BUTTERFAT CONTENT	NOVEMBER	YEAR TO DATE 3/	DAILY AVERAGE	BUTTERFAT CONTENT	NOVEMBER	YEAR TO DATE 3/
	1,000 LB.		PERCENT		1,000 LB.		PERCENT	
<u>NEW ENGLAND</u>								
MASSACHUSETTS-RI-NH 4/	149.6	21.6	-6.3	-6.7	6,221	3.87	1.0	1.1
CONNECTICUT	34.5	24.2	-6.2	-7.2	2,598	3.67	.6	-.3
<u>MIDDLE ATLANTIC</u>								
DELAWARE VALLEY	27.9	22.2	-2.1	-12.8	3,838	3.55	.4	.1
<u>SOUTH ATLANTIC</u>								
UPPER CHESAPEAKE BAY	3.8	24.0	-13.5	-11.7	1,519	3.50	3.2	2.0
WASHINGTON, D.C.	20.1	21.5	-5.4	-6.3	2,119	3.64	1.0	.9
CLARKSBURG	.2	19.9	-27.4	-8.8	218	3.48	6.4	5.9
TRI-STATE	.9	20.3	.1	5.8	1,065	3.35	6.6	6.8
APPALACHIAN	.4	25.1	-32.1	-21.9	383	3.25	12.5	10.9
TAMPA BAY	5.0	24.0	5.9	1.2	1,071	3.45	6.0	5.8
SOUTHEASTERN FLORIDA	14.6	23.0	3.4	-2.4	1,553	3.65	7.4	5.4
UPPER FLORIDA	4.4	24.4	3.2	-4.7	1,347	3.46	2.9	2.3
<u>EAST NORTH CENTRAL</u>								
<u>EASTERN GROUP</u>								
UPSTATE MICHIGAN	.6	31.1	4.9	-14.4	150	3.45	6.2	4.1
SOUTHERN MICHIGAN	56.2	22.6	.1	1.1	6,811	3.48	2.8	.4
NORTHWESTERN OHIO	4.6	24.6	-2.6	-9.7	1,270	3.37	2.0	-2.0
EASTERN OHIO-WESTERN PA. 5/	28.8	20.0	6.1	.8	3,143	3.48	9.1	3.8
COLUMBUS	4.6	22.4	4.7	2.6	1,107	3.39	4.8	.5
MIAMI VALLEY 4/	3.3	24.4	-15.7	-23.9	903	3.18	3.3	4.5
CINCINNATI	5.0	24.3	2.5	-5.8	1,280	3.29	2.8	2.0
<u>WESTERN GROUP</u>								
MICH. UPPER PENINSULA	1.2	27.9	-7.2	-8.6	298	3.43	1.1	-.5
CHICAGO REGIONAL 6/	81.6	21.6	1.3	.3	10,427	3.45	2.3	3.1
FORT WAYNE	1.7	28.7	-15.0	-14.4	502	3.08	-3.3	-3.3
LOUIS.-LEX.-EVANS	5.2	25.6	7.3	-9.4	1,884	3.23	5.1	2.0
INDIANAPOLIS	13.6	21.1	58.7	10.9	2,176	3.09	3.9	2.2
SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	12.1	28.3	39.9	7.2	1,648	3.21	3.9	2.7
CENTRAL ILLINOIS	3.6	25.8	-17.3	-29.5	546	3.17	4.4	2.5
<u>WEST NORTH CENTRAL</u>								
<u>NORTHERN GROUP</u>								
DULUTH - SUPERIOR	1.8	28.3	-1.9	-2.3	203	3.17	1.4	.2
MINNEAPOLIS - ST. PAUL	17.6	25.7	1.6	-3.0	1,716	2.96	2.0	.9
EASTERN SOUTH DAKOTA	2.0	26.8	3.5	-5.1	304	3.01	2.1	2.8
BLACK HILLS	.6	25.6	7.1	9.6	86	3.16	1.4	1.8
NORTH CENTRAL IOWA	2.4	28.7	-9.3	1.6	490	3.18	-.2	7.1
CEAR RAPIDS-ICWA CITY	.9	23.3	-4.3	-1.1	192	3.02	7.2	.8
QUAKO CITIES - OUBUQUE	2.4	25.3	-19.6	-2.1	553	3.15	4.0	.1
DES MOINES	3.1	26.7	-30.0	-35.9	625	3.31	5.8	-1.9
NEBRASKA-WESTERN IOWA 6/	7.8	24.1	-21.3	-5.6	1,508	3.20	6.5	3.6

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MARKETING AREA	WHOLE MILK 1/				SKIM MILK ITEMS 2/				MILK AND CREAM MIXTURES			
	NOVEMBER 1968		CHANGE 1968 FROM 1967		NOVEMBER 1968		CHANGE 1968 FROM 1967		NOVEMBER 1968		CHANGE 1968 FROM 1967	
	DAILY AVG	BUTTER-FAT CONTENT	NOV.	YEAR TO DATE 3/	DAILY AVG	BUTTER-FAT CONTENT	NOV.	YEAR TO DATE 3/	DAILY AVG	BUTTER-FAT CONTENT	NOV.	YEAR TO DATE 3/
	1,000 LB.	PERCENT			1,000 LB.	PERCENT			1,000 LB.	PERCENT		
<u>WEST NORTH CENTRAL -CON.</u>												
<u>SOUTHERN GROUP</u>												
ST LOUIS - OZARKS 6/	1,512	3.34	0.9	-2.7	517.0	1.83	22.9	16.0	21.3	11.9	3.5	-4.0
KANSAS CITY	1,254	3.36	1.3	-2.7	396.4	1.72	18.9	17.3	22.0	11.3	1.4	-3.4
NEOSHO VALLEY	180	3.36	-1.6	1.1	40.7	1.64	21.8	14.0	3.6	11.7	5.7	1.4
WICHITA	426	3.31	-10.2	-7.7	149.5	1.77	15.5	22.6	9.1	11.0	-7.6	-3.9
<u>EAST SOUTH CENTRAL</u>												
PADUCAH	206	3.48	4.8	3.1	33.3	1.34	9.0	10.5	1.0	12.0	1.7	-2.3
NASHVILLE	860	3.52	3.7	2.1	154.9	.90	16.8	14.0	4.4	12.4	3.7	-2.7
MEMPHIS	489	3.56	-2.2	1.2	101.7	1.20	21.0	15.9	5.3	12.2	3.7	.2
KNOXVILLE 4/	458	3.65	3.0	4.0	117.6	1.04	37.0	19.5	1.9	12.8	9.1	4.9
CHATTANOOGA 7/	224	3.94	2.5	.9	96.1	1.40	29.3	15.9	1.1	12.1	-2.2	-3.4
MISSISSIPPI	712	3.79	5.3	6.8	118.9	1.54	12.7	12.4	4.5	12.4	-.2	-1.8
<u>WEST SOUTH CENTRAL</u>												
<u>NORTHERN GROUP</u>												
CENTRAL ARKANSAS	453	3.47	-6.6	-1.1	78.5	1.56	11.8	11.8	3.7	11.9	-2.1	-6.1
OKLAHOMA METROPOLITAN	917	3.42	5.0	-2.8	135.9	1.75	23.5	21.4	9.5	11.7	-1.9	-7.1
RED RIVER VALLEY	312	3.44	-6.1	-7.4	63.1	1.62	.9	15.4	2.4	11.7	-10.3	-7.5
TEXAS PANHANDLE	227	3.42	-8.8	-7.7	34.8	1.64	26.6	18.7	2.3	11.7	-3.9	-1.3
LUBBOCK - PLAINVIEW	196	3.45	-4.4	-6.9	35.3	1.79	.7	9.6	1.6	11.1	-11.3	-7.5
<u>SOUTHERN GROUP</u>												
NORTHERN LOUISIANA	332	3.87	5.6	4.1	58.7	1.83	5.5	6.9	2.0	11.6	-4.0	-6.3
NEW ORLEANS	659	3.88	1.5	.6	88.4	1.61	17.8	13.6	7.8	12.4	2.5	1.1
NORTH TEXAS 7/	1,254	3.40	1.0	4.1	424.3	1.59	1.0	-4.0	17.6	11.6	1.0	-1.3
CENTRAL WEST TEXAS	313	3.40	3.1	-4.9	102.1	1.69	4.3	7.4	3.9	12.2	-2.3	-4.2
AUSTIN - WACC	437	3.44	.6	-4.3	86.3	1.34	4.7	7.8	4.2	12.5	-6.4	-6.5
SAN ANTONIO	507	3.45	8.6	.6	52.4	1.45	7.4	-5.0	4.6	11.5	.5	-2.8
CORPUS CHRISTI	368	3.50	6.8	-1.8	43.9	1.51	-9.6	3.5	3.4	11.6	0	-5.1
<u>MOUNTAIN</u>												
EASTERN COLORADO	1,100	3.36	.1	.9	294.6	1.58	19.6	15.9	19.8	11.7	-.1	-2.6
GREAT BASIN	528	3.44	-1.0	-2.0	287.2	1.87	17.1	13.0	6.2	12.6	-5.1	-6.7
CENTRAL ARIZONA	818	3.51	-3.7	-5.8	281.7	.96	27.6	35.8	12.9	10.9	0	-2.1
RIO GRANDE VALLEY	827	3.52	-3.1	-4.1	95.5	1.68	25.8	20.4	8.9	12.0	-.5	-3.5
<u>PACIFIC</u>												
PUGET SOUND	1,234	3.52	-2.8	-1.1	544.6	1.84	23.8	21.4	26.4	12.0	-.7	-2.4
INLAND EMPIRE	191	3.56	-4.0	-4.6	138.0	1.84	15.8	9.0	5.1	12.0	-2.3	-5.0
COMBINED AREAS (62)	65,553	3.49	.2	-.6	14,235.8	1.52	18.9	16.4	985.7	11.4	-1.0	-2.9
NEW YORK-NEW JERSEY 8/	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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MARKETING AREA	CREAM				TOTAL FLUID			
	NOVEMBER 1968		CHANGE 1968 FROM 1967		NOVEMBER 1968		CHANGE 1968 FROM 1967	
	DAILY AVERAGE	BUTTERFAT CONTENT	NOVEMBER	YEAR TO DATE 3/	DAILY AVERAGE	BUTTERFAT CONTENT	NOVEMBER	YEAR TO DATE 3/
	1,000 LB.		PERCENT		1,000 LB.		PERCENT	
<u>WEST NORTH CENTRAL -CON.</u>								
<u>SOUTHERN GROUP</u>								
ST LOUIS - OZARKS 6/	15.5	22.9	2.2	-5.9	2,080	3.21	5.8	1.2
KANSAS CITY	10.0	25.3	8.4	-1.0	1,689	3.21	4.8	1.3
NEOSHO VALLEY	1.4	28.0	-13.8	-2.9	226	3.33	1.9	3.1
WICHITA	3.5	29.1	-12.6	-1.8	589	3.19	-5.2	-1.7
<u>EAST SOUTH CENTRAL</u>								
PAULDAH	.7	25.4	-1.9	13.9	243	3.30	5.4	4.1
NASHVILLE	2.3	28.5	7.9	5.2	1,028	3.23	5.6	3.8
MEMPHIS	3.2	24.7	18.3	3.1	604	3.38	.9	3.2
KNOXVILLE 4/	1.1	26.5	-4.7	-16.8	580	3.20	8.4	6.5
CHATTANOOGA 7/	1.0	26.2	-4.5	-17.4	323	3.30	9.0	4.5
MISSISSIPPI	2.3	25.8	-3.0	2.2	838	3.58	6.2	7.5
<u>WEST SOUTH CENTRAL</u>								
<u>NORTHERN GROUP</u>								
CENTRAL ARKANSAS	1.5	28.7	-5.5	-5.7	538	3.33	-4.3	.6
OKLAHOMA METROPOLITAN	5.1	25.6	7.4	-1.6	1,071	3.39	7.0	-3.3
RED RIVER VALLEY	1.6	25.2	-1.0	-4.1	379	3.28	-5.0	-4.2
TEXAS PANHANDLE	1.9	28.2	6.2	-3.4	267	3.44	-5.0	-4.8
LUBBOCK - PLAINVIEW	2.0	29.6	-1.0	-2.1	235	3.47	-3.5	-4.7
<u>SOUTHERN GROUP</u>								
NORTHERN LOUISIANA	1.5	25.6	-2.4	-5.6	395	3.69	5.5	4.4
NEW ORLEANS	2.3	23.3	.6	-6.5	761	3.78	3.2	1.9
NORTH TEXAS 7/	14.9	25.9	1.0	2.0	1,714	3.24	1.0	2.0
CENTRAL WEST TEXAS	2.9	29.0	1.4	-3.8	422	3.26	3.3	-2.2
AUSTIN - WACC	2.2	29.6	3.0	5.2	531	3.28	1.3	-2.5
SAN ANTONIO	1.7	25.6	-8.1	6.0	568	3.39	8.4	0
CORPUS CHRISTI	1.5	25.1	93.5	52.6	418	3.43	5.0	-1.1
<u>MOUNTAIN</u>								
EASTERN COLORADO	10.1	24.6	-3.5	2.1	1,441	3.28	3.5	3.5
GREAT BASIN	10.4	30.9	3.7	1.9	832	3.31	3.6	2.5
CENTRAL ARIZONA	8.0	24.1	20.3	10.2	1,131	3.10	3.2	2.0
RIO GRANDE VALLEY	4.7	27.0	14.0	10.5	945	3.55	-4.6	-2.1
<u>PACIFIC</u>								
PUGET SOUND	18.7	28.9	5.3	6.0	1,829	3.42	4.0	4.3
INLAND EMPIRE	3.6	29.9	-1.5	-4.0	339	3.28	3.2	.3
COMBINED AREAS (62)	658.0	23.4	-.5	-3.7	81,768	3.42	3.1	1.8
NEW YORK-NEW JERSEY 8/	---	---	---	---	15,657	---	-4.2	-2.6

1/ Plain, flavored, and fluid equivalent of concentrated.

2/ Plain, fortified, and flavored skim and part skim milk, buttermilk, and cultured specialties.

3/ Data for February 1968 adjusted to a 28-day basis before computing percentage changes.

4/ Sales for marketing area as defined after the 1967 amendment.

5/ Merger of Wheeling, Northeastern Ohio, and Youngstown-Warren, July 1, 1968. Sales represent only the Northeastern Ohio market.

6/ Sales represent the area after the merger and expansion of Nebraska-Western Iowa and Sioux City, May 1, 1968; Madison, Milwaukee, Northeastern Wisconsin, Northwestern Indiana, Rock River Valley, and the area formerly regulated under the Chicago order, July 1, 1968; St. Louis and Ozarks, October 1, 1968.

7/ Sales for marketing area as defined prior to 1968 amendment.

8/ Small amount of sales estimated.

* Correction. Figures should have been: July (1,690.0); August (1,721.5); September (1,702.9); and October (1,847.7).

Table 8.--Federal milk order Class I price formula information, December 1968

Marketing area	Basic	Fluid	Supply-demand		Other	Class I price
	price	diff.	Computed	Effective	2/	
	1/					
Dollars per 100 pounds						
Massachusetts-R.I.-N.H.	3/6.14E	---	-0.31	-0.31	+1.08	4/6.91
Connecticut	3/6.14E	5/0.40	- .31	- .31	+1.08	4/7.31
New York-New Jersey	6.09E	---	- .09	- .09	+ .73	4/6.73
Delaware Valley	6.45E	---	0	0	+ .72	4/7.17
Upper Chesapeake Bay	Uses the	Delaware Valley	Class I price less 10 cents			7.07
Washington, D. C.	Uses the	Delaware Valley	Class I price less 10 cents			7.07
Clarksburg	4.27	1.98	+ .08	+ .08	+ .12	6.45
Tri-State	4.27	1.55	- .09	- .09	+ .26	5.99
Appalachian	4.27	1.93	---	---	+ .26	6.46
Tampa Bay	4.27	2.90	---	---	+ .06	7.23
Southeastern Florida	4.27	3.10	---	---	+ .06	7.43
Upper Florida	4.27	2.80	---	---	+ .06	7.13
Upstate Michigan	4.27	1.29	---	---	+ .26	5.82
Southern Michigan	4.27	1.40	---	---	+ .26	5.93
Northwestern Ohio	4.27	1.50	---	---	+ .26	6.03
Eastern Ohio-Western Pa.	4.27	1.67	---	---	+ .26	6.20
Columbus	4.27	1.25	+ .28	+ .28	+ .26	6.06
Miami Valley	4.27	1.24	+ .42	+ .39	+ .26	6.16
Cincinnati	4.27	1.30	+ .42	+ .39	+ .26	6.22
Mich. Upper Peninsula	4.27	1.15	---	---	+ .26	5.68
Chicago Regional	4.27	1.20	---	---	+ .06	5.53
Fort Wayne	4.27	1.20	+ .02	+ .02	+ .26	5.75
Louisville-Lex.-Evans.	4.27	1.29	+ .14	+ .14	+ .26	5.96
Indianapolis	4.27	1.27	+ .02	+ .02	+ .26	5.82
Southern Illinois	Uses the	St. Louis-Ozarks	Class I price less 7 cents			5.86
Central Illinois	4.27	1.19	---	---	+ .26	5.72
Duluth-Superior	4.27	.90	---	---	+ .26	5.43
Minneapolis-St. Paul	4.27	.86	---	---	+ .26	5.39
Eastern South Dakota	4.27	1.30	---	---	+ .26	5.83
Black Hills	4.27	2.15	---	---	+ .26	6.68
North Central Iowa	4.27	1.05	---	---	+ .26	5.58
Cedar Rapids-Iowa City	4.27	1.10	---	---	+ .26	5.63
Quad Cities-Dubuque	4.27	1.10	---	---	+ .26	5.63
Des Moines	4.27	1.25	---	---	+ .26	5.78
Nebraska-Western Iowa	4.27	1.40	---	---	+ .26	5.93
Minnesota-North Dakota	4.27	.86	---	---	+ .26	5.39

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Table 8.--Federal milk order Class I price formula information, December 1968 -Con.

Marketing area	Basic	Fluid	Supply-demand		Other	Class I price
	price	diff.	Computed	Effective	2/	
	1/					
	Dollars per 100 pounds					
St. Louis-Ozarks	4.27	1.40	---	---	+0.26	5.93
Kansas City	4.27	1.54	---	---	+ .26	6.07
Neosho Valley	4.27	1.34	---	---	+ .37	5.98
Wichita	4.27	1.60	---	---	+ .26	6.13
Paducah	Uses the St. Louis-Ozarks Class I price plus 25 cents					
Nashville	4.27	1.38	0	0	+ .26	5.91
Memphis	4.27	1.74	NA	*	+ .26	6.27
Knoxville	4.27	1.50	0	0	+ .26	6.03
Chattanooga	4.27	1.75	+ .44	+ .44	+ .26	6.72
Mississippi	4.27	2.27	---	---	+ .26	6.80
Central Arkansas	4.27	1.74	NA	*	+ .26	6.27
Fort Smith	4.27	1.75	NA	*	+ .26	6.28
Oklahoma Metropolitan	4.27	1.78	---	---	+ .26	6.31
Red River Valley	Uses the Oklahoma Metropolitan Class I price plus 22¢					
Texas Panhandle	4.27	2.05	---	---	+ .26	6.58
Lubbock-Plainview	Uses the North Texas Class I price plus 10 cents					
Northern Louisiana	4.27	2.27	---	---	+ .26	6.80
New Orleans	4.27	2.65	---	---	+ .26	7.18
North Texas	4.27	2.12	---	---	+ .26	6.65
Central West Texas	Uses the North Texas Class I price plus 25 cents					
Austin-Waco	Uses the North Texas Class I price plus 38 cents					
San Antonio	Uses the North Texas Class I price plus 42 cents					
Corpus Christi	Uses the North Texas Class I price plus 75 cents					
South Texas	4.27	2.48	---	---	+ .26	7.01
Eastern Colorado	4.27	2.10	- .06	- .06	+ .26	6.57
Great Basin	4.27	2.05	---	---	+ .26	6.58
Western Colorado	Uses the Eastern Colorado Class I price less 5 cents					
Central Arizona	4.27	2.30	0	*	+ .26	6.83
Rio Grande Valley	4.27	2.15	---	---	+ .26	6.68
Puget Sound	4.27	1.65	---	---	+ .26	6.18
Inland Empire	4.27	1.90	- .24	- .24	+ .26	6.19

* Suspended.

1/ All markets based on Minnesota-Wisconsin price except where indicated.

E-Economic index price.

2/ Other adjustments due to bracketing, relation to other markets, or temporary amendments effective during the month.

3/ Excludes 46 cents due to tie with New York-New Jersey economic index price.

4/ Class I price specified in order

5/ Added to the bracketed price.

Table 9.--Prices and economic indexes used in Federal milk order formulas to determine December prices, with comparisons

	Prices paid for manufacturing grade milk			
	Dec.	Nov.	Dec.	
	1968	1968	1967	
	Dol.	per 100 lb.	f.o.b. plant	
United States manufacturing plants, 3.5% <u>1/</u>	4.13	4.11	3.90	
Minnesota-Wisconsin manufacturing grade milk, 3.5% <u>2/</u>	4.30	4.27	4.04	
Local plants as listed in: (3.5%)				
Appalachian.	3.63	3.62	3.42	
Neosho Valley.	3.76	3.76	3.61	
New Orleans.	3.49	3.45	3.42	

Dairy product and unit	Market price		
	Dec.	Nov.	Dec.
	1968	1968	1967
		Cents	
Price per pound:			
Butter, Chicago, 92-score	68.73	66.79	67.69
Butter, Chicago, 93(92)-score	68.69	67.16	67.75
Butter, New York, 92-score	69.01	67.95	68.56
Butter, New York, 92-score <u>3/</u>	68.38	68.09	68.38
Butter, New York, 93-score	69.45	68.46	69.04
Cheese, Cheddars, Wisconsin Primary markets	49.00	48.38	45.88
Nonfat dry milk:			
Spray, Chicago area plants <u>4/</u>	22.73	22.75	19.46
Spray, at Chicago	24.42	24.48	20.80
Roller, at Chicago	<u>5/</u>	<u>5/</u>	20.36
Price per 40-quart can:		Dollars	
Cream, Southeastern Pennsylvania average			
mid-point of range (CL & LCL)	28.56	28.72	29.02

Economic factor	Index value for the month		
	Dec.	Nov.	Dec.
	1968	1968	1967
		Index	
U. S. wholesale commodity prices, 1957-59=100	109.8	109.5	106.8
Local factors, basis described in order:			
New England:			
Dairy feed price	93.98	91.40	98.61
Farm wage rates <u>6/</u>	151.55	151.55	140.05
Disposable personal income <u>6/</u>	159.12	159.07	146.59
Pennsylvania:			
Dairy feed price	110.3	108.9	111.7
Farm prices other than dairy	104.1	101.3	97.5

1/ Converted by using New York 92-score butter price (mid-point) times 0.125.

2/ Converted by using Chicago 92-score butter price times 0.120.

3/ 16th of preceding month through 15th of current month.

4/ 26th of preceding month through 25th of current month.

5/ Insufficient daily price data.

6/ Quarterly data used in Class I formula for the indicated month.

Table 10.--Federal order base and excess prices for milk of 3.5 percent butterfat content, December 1/

Marketing area	Base price		Excess price		Marketing area	Base price		Excess price	
	December		December			December		December	
	1968	1967	1968	1967		1968	1967	1968	1967
	Dollars per 100 lb.					Dollars per 100 lb.			
Appalachian					Memphis				
Black Hills					Mississippi				
Central Arkansas					Nashville				
Chattanooga					New Orleans				
Clarksburg					Puget Sound	5.92	5.62	4.38	4.06
Delaware Valley					Southern Michigan	5.51	4.88	4.27	3.96
Fort Smith					Texas Panhandle				
Kansas City					Upper Chesapeake Bay				
Knoxville					Washington, D. C.				
Lubbock-Plainview									

1/ See footnotes on table 1 for location at which price is reported.

Table 11.--Seasonal incentive fund included under various Federal milk orders, December

Marketing area	December				Marketing area	December			
	1968		1967			1968		1967	
	Dol.	per 100 lb.				Dol.	per 100 lb.		
Central Arizona					Massachusetts-R.I.-N.H.				
Central Illinois	0.24		0.14		Miami Valley	0.27		0.20	
Cincinnati	.27		.23		Nebraska-Western Iowa				
Columbus	.29		.20		New York-New Jersey				
Connecticut					Paducah	.58		.52	
Eastern South Dakota					St. Louis-Ozarks	.24		.15	
Fort Wayne					Southern Illinois	.23		.14	
Indianapolia	.29		.46		Tri-State	.27		.22	
Inland Empire					Wichita				
Louisville-Lexington-									
Evansville	.44		.53						

Table 12.--Filled and imitation milk sales in Federal milk order markets 1/

Product Composition	October 1968			November 1968			December 1968		
	Mkts.	Handlers	Volume	Mkts.	Handlers	Volume	Mkts.	Handlers	Volume
	Number		1,000 lb.	Number		1,000 lb.	Number		1,000 lb.
Filled milk									
Nondairy fat and:									
Fluid skim milk	16	41	4,888	16	42	4,532	16	39	4,582
Nonfat dry milk	8	15	753	9	11	809	9	14	732
Imitation milk:									
Nondairy fat and:									
Sodium caseinate and other protein	8	8	2/	9	9	2/	8	9	2/
Total	25*	64	5,641	28*	62	5,341	3/ 27*	62	5,314

* Represents number of markets reporting sales of one or more products. 1/ The survey information reported here may not reflect all sales of filled and imitation milks in all order markets. 2/ Unknown.

3/ Appalachian, Central Arizona, Central Illinois, Cincinnati, Columbus, Corpus Christi, Delaware Valley, Eastern Colorado, Eastern Ohio-Western Pennsylvania, Indianapolis, Kansas City, Miami Valley, Minneapolis-St. Paul, Nebraska-Western Iowa, New Orleans, New York-New Jersey, North Central Iowa, Northwestern Ohio, Oklahoma Metropolitan, Puget Sound, San Antonio, Southeastern Florida, Southern Illinois, Tampa Bay, Tri-State, Upper Chesapeake Bay, and Washington, D. C.

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Amendment:

Delaware Valley - December 1 (33 FR 17848, 11/30/68). Action deletes certain pool plant provisions that were effective through a fixed date which is now past. Amendment eliminates the fixed handling allowance of 15.5 cents reflected in the present location differential on Class I and uniform prices.

Suspension:

Oklahoma Metropolitan - December 1 (33 FR 18981, 12/20/68). For the months of December 1968 and January 1969, this action suspends a provision to substitute 50 percent total Class I use for 50 percent route disposition as a basis for pooling a distributing plant with five percent in-area route disposition.

Termination:

Knoxville - December 7 (33 FR 18228, 12/7/68). Action terminates the base-excess plan provisions of the order.